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Title:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, § 1.97 and § 1.98, Applicants bring the following documents to the Examiner's attention in the above-captioned application.

- 1. U.S. Patent No. 5,270,262, dated December 14, 1993
- U.S. Patent No. 5,185,653, dated February 9, 1993 2.
- U.S. Patent No. 4,490,902, dated January 1, 1985 3.
- U.S. Patent No. 4,043,027, dated August 23, 1977 4.
- U.S. Patent No. 3,539,675, dated November 10, 1970 5.
- U.S. Patent No. 3,716,764, dated February 13, 1973

A PTO form 1449 listing these documents is enclosed.

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mission that the informat α cited herein is, or an is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in § 1.56(b). Under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3) no action on the merits has been mailed.

Respectfully submitted,

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